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SUBJ: TURKISH INDEPENDENCE FROM US CALLED FOR AT ADANA PETROLEUM

WORKERS CONVENTION

THE 23 NOV ADANA REGIONAL CONVENTION OF THE PETROLEUM WORKERS UNION, ATTENDED BY SOME 2000 DELEGATES WAS LARGELY TAKEN UP BY RANK AND FILE CRITICISM OF THE UNION BOARD FOR LACK OF AGGRESSIVENESS IN REPRESENTATION. THE FEATURED SPEAKER, ISMAIL TOPKAR, PRESIDENT OF THE PETROLEUM FEDERATION, HOWEVER, TOOK THE OPPORTUNITY TO CALL FOR AN IMMEDIATE CUT BACK IN ALL OF TURKEY'S RELATIONS WITH THE UNITED STATES. TOPKAR URGED ALL TURKISH UNIONS, BOTH TURKISAN DISK AFFILIATED, JOIN IN URGING THIS COURSE ON THE GOVERNMENT. IF

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TURKEY WISHED TO BECOME A DEVELOPED COUNTRY, HE CONTINUED, SHE MUST BE ABLE TO MAKE HER OWN DECISIONS ON MATTERS OF NATIONAL CONCERN. ONLY BY REDUCING DEPENDENCE ON THE UNITED STATES COULD INDEPENDENCE BE ACHIEVED. FINALLY, NOTING THAT HE OPPOSED BOTH FASCISM AND COMMUNISM, HE WARNED AGAINST SUBSTITUTING RUSSIA FOR THE UNITED STATES, REPEATING THE NOW FAMILIAR NEITHER AMERICAN NOR RUSSIAN LINE.

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